

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1848
ANSWERED ON:29.11.2001
BACKLOG OF VACANCIES OF SC/ST
SHAMSHER SINGH DULLO

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

- (a) whether `backlog/carried forward vacancies` reserved for SCs, STs and OBCs are required to be treated as a `separate and distinct group` as provided under Article 16(4)B of the Constitution to overcome 50% ceiling limit on vacancies to be reserved in a year;
- (b) if so, indicate `backlog/carried forward vacancies` ascertained as per para 5 of the DOPT OM No.36012/12/96-Estt. (Res) dated 2nd July, 1997 in respect of SCs, STs and OBCs in Group A, B, C and D categories of services as on 29th August 1997 in the Ministry of Power when Special Recruitment Drives etc. meant for filling such vacancies were stopped;
- (c) the details of vacancies filled during the last four years and those which remain unfilled; and
- (d) the fresh vacancies/posts accrued to reserved classes in all categories of posts during the last four years as per `post based rosters`?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF POWER (SHRIMATI JAYAWANTI MEHTA)

(a) : Yes, Sir.

(b) : Position indicated below in respect of Ministry of Power (Proper):

Sl.No. Group Backlog vacancies

SCs STs Other Backward Classes

1. A - - -

2. B NIL 12 27

3. C 14 26 52

4. D NIL 03 NIL

(c) : Vacancies filled during last four years:

Sl.No. Group Vacancies filled

SCs STs Other Backward Classes

1. A - - -

2. B NA+ 05 02

3. C 10 04 21

4. D NA+ - -

(+ There was no backlog in Groups B and D as on 29.8.1997)

(d) : Fresh vacancies/posts accrued to reserved classes in all grades.

Sl.No. Group Vacancies accrued since 29.08.1997

SCs STs Other Backward Classes

1. A - - -

2. B 13 12 07

3. C 04 09 21

4. D 02 - -